

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENTS

In re Application of:)
DYER, Wallace K.)
Serial No. 09/943,138) Art Unit: 1639
Filed: August 30, 2001) Examiner: EPPERSON, Jon D.
For: Methods and Compositions for)
Tissue Augmentation)

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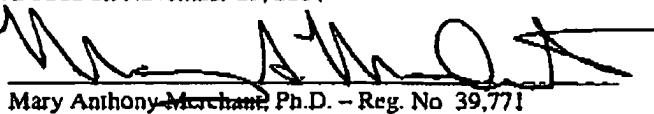
RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 27, 2004, and by virtue of the Petition for one month extension of time and the required fee, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following Amendments and Remarks.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted via facsimile to facsimile number 703-872-9306 on November 29, 2004



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